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Attached is a 1 page transmittal sheet, a 1 page Fee Transmittal page, a 2 page Amendment, a 1 page additional Assignment, a 2 page new Declaration, a 1 page Added Inventor Statement, and a 1 page Assignee Statement for:

US Appl. No.: 10/604,934  
Filed: 08/27/2003  
Inventor: Alan M Wagner  
Art. Unit: 3682  
Examiner: Colby M Hansen  
Atty. Dkt.: 04380  
Atty.: Bruce E Harang  
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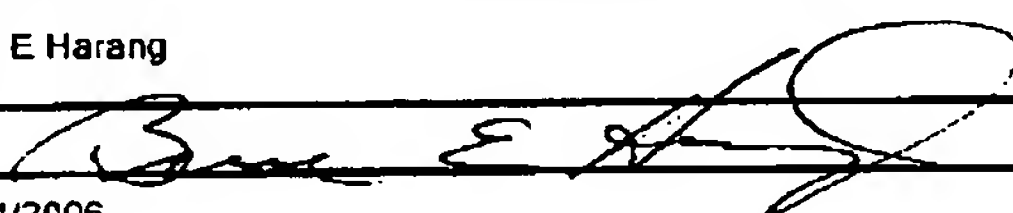
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	Filing Date	08/27/2003	
	First Named Inventor	Alan M Wagner	
	Art Unit	3682	
	Examiner Name	Colby M Hansen	
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	9	Attorney Docket Number	04380

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# **FEE TRANSMITTAL**

## **For FY 2006**

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 130.00

### **Complete if Known**

Application Number 10/604,934  
Filing Date 08/27/2003  
First Named Inventor Alan M Wagner  
Examiner Name Colby M Hansen  
Art Unit 3682  
Attorney Docket No. 04380

### **METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)**

☐ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify): \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 502438 Deposit Account Name: Lear Corporation

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

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#### **1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

#### **2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

##### **Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Fee (\$)

Small Entity Fee (\$)

50

25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200

100

Multiple dependent claims

360

180

##### **Total Claims**

##### **Extra Claims**

##### **Fee (\$)**

##### **Fee Paid (\$)**

- 20 or HP =

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HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

##### **Indep. Claims**

##### **Extra Claims**

##### **Fee (\$)**

##### **Fee Paid (\$)**

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#### **3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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#### **4. OTHER FEE(S)**

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Fee Paid (\$)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Request to Correct Inventorship fee under 37 CFR 1.171(l)

130.00

#### **SUBMITTED BY**

Signature

Name (Print/Type) Bruce E Harang

Registration No. 29720  
(Attorney/Agent)

Telephone 360-903-4893

Date 08/14/2006

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE

Appl. No.: 10/604,934  
Inventor: Alan M Wagner  
Filed: 08/27/2003  
TC/Art Unit: 3682  
Examiner: Colby M Hansen

Docket No.: 04380  
Customer No.: 23688

August 14, 2006

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(a)**

Sir:

This is an amendment and request to correct the incorrect original naming of inventor(s) in the declaration under 37 CFR 1.48(a) as set forth and filed on 08/27/2003 for U.S. Patent Application No. 10/604,934.

The required fee is submitted herewith.

Kindly consider this petition and the supporting documents submitted herewith as sufficient and in full compliance with the requirements 37 CFR 1.48 pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 116.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including a new declaration which lists the complete inventive entity within the body of the declaration and is signed by all of the inventors as required under 37 CFR 1.63, the statement by the added inventor, the statement of the assignee required under 37 CFR 3.73(b), the new assignment signed by the additional inventor.

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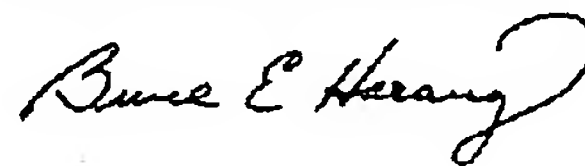
Assignee hereby requests this amendment correcting the inventive entity in said U.S. patent application by the addition of inventor, Neil G. Goodbred, not named through error and without any deceptive intent.

Petitioner, Lear Corporation, is the sole assignee of the entire right and interest in U.S. Patent Application Number 10/604,934 filed 08/27/2003 as attested to by the assignment recorded in the USPTO at reel 016844/frame number 0125, and the additional assignment document submitted herewith.

Applicants submit herewith a new declaration which lists the complete inventive entity within the body of the declaration and is signed by all of the inventors as required under 37 CFR 1.63, the statement by the added inventor, the statement of the assignee required under 37 CFR 3.73(b), the new assignment signed by the additional inventor.

In light of the attached new declaration which lists the complete inventive entity within the body of the declaration and is signed by all of the inventors as required under 37 CFR 1.63, the statement by the added inventor, the statement of the assignee required under 37 CFR 3.73(b), the new assignment signed by the additional inventor Applicants believe their Amendment and Request for Correction under 37 CFR 1.48(a) is in condition for grant and such action is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



Bruce E. Harang  
Registration No. 29,720  
Tel.: (360) 903-4693

Attachments:



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ASSIGNMENT

For the sum of ONE DOLLAR and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we **Neil G. Goodbred**, whose residence is 42470 Steepleview, Northville, MI 48168, a citizen of the United States of America, hereby convey, sell, transfer, and assign to **LEAR CORPORATION**, a Delaware Corporation, having a place of business at 21557 Telegraph Road, Southfield, Michigan 48034, its successors and assigns, all of my/our right, title and interest to my/our invention entitled "**Drive Nut with Structural Extrusion Drive Area for Vehicle Seat Adjuster**", identified as Lear attorney docket number **04380**, now **U.S. Patent Application No. 10/604,934** and all legal equivalents which may be granted therefor, and all divisions, reissues, reexaminations, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals, substitutes and extensions thereof, and authorize the Commissioner of Patents to issue all Patents on said invention or resulting therefrom to said Corporation as assignee of the entire right, title and interest, and covenant that I/we have full right so to do and agree that I/we will communicate to said Corporation or its representatives any legal proceeding, execute and deliver to said Corporation all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, testify in any interference, litigation or proceeding, and generally do everything possible to aid said Corporation, its successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce patent protection for said invention, in the United States and all foreign countries.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set our hands and seals this date of 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2006

Inventor: Neil G. Goodbred

Name: Neil G. Goodbred

Address: 42470 Steepleview, Northville, MI 48168

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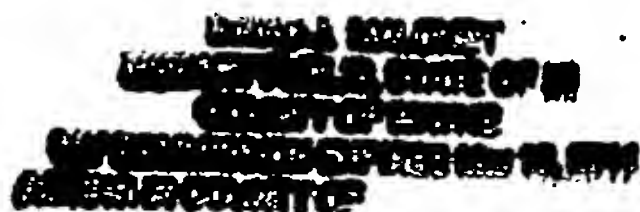
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COUNTY OF WAYNE )

Before me personally appeared and affixed his hand this 26 day of July, 2006.

David J. Raborey  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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**DECLARATION & POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As a below named inventor, we Alan M Wagner, and Neil G. Goodbred hereby declare that:

My/Our residences and citizenships are as listed below.

I/We believe that I/we are the original, first and sole/joint inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought in the invention entitled **Drive Nut with Structural Extrusion Drive Area for Vehicle Seat Adjuster**, identified as Lear attorney docket number 04225, now U.S. Patent Appl. No. 10/604,934, the specification of which was filed on 08/27/2003.

I/We hereby state that I/we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to in this Declaration.

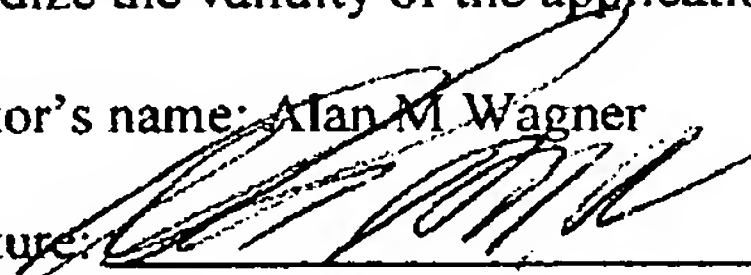
I/We acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a).

I/We hereby appoint Bruce E. Harang, Registration No. 29,720 to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. Please send all correspondence to:

Bruce E. Harang  
Customer No. 23688  
P. O. Box 872735  
Vancouver, WA 98687-2735  
Telephone: 828-230-0450  
Facsimile: 360-838-6611

I/We hereby declare that all statements made herein of my/our own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements and the like so made jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Inventor's name: Alan M Wagner      Citizenship: United States

Signature:   
Residence: Sterling Hgts, MI  
Post Office Address: 42505 Flis Drive, Sterling Hgts, MI 48314

Date: 7-26-06



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Inventor's name: Neil G. Goodbred

Citizenship: United States

Signature: 

Date: 26 JUL 06


Residence: Northville, MI 48168

Post Office Address: 42470 Steepleview, Northville, MI 48168

US Patent Appl. No.: 10/604,934 filed 08/27/2003

**ADDED INVENTOR STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.324(B)(1)**

The inventorship error of failing to include Neil G. Goodbred as an inventor of the patent application no. 10/604,934 occurred without any deceptive intention on the part of Neil G. Goodbred.



Neil G. Goodbred

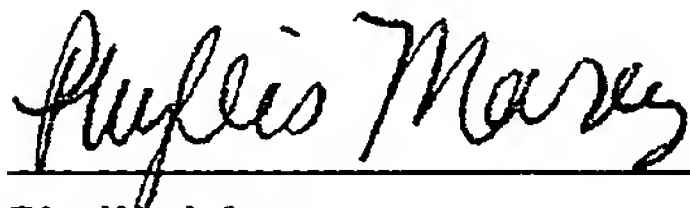
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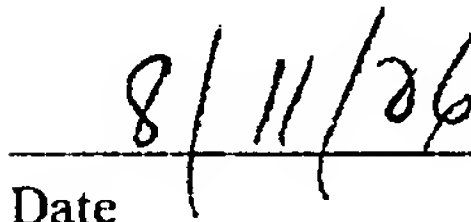
**ASSIGNEE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.324(B)(3)**

Lear Corporation, the sole assignee of U.S. Patent Number 6,843,520, agrees to the change of inventorship adding inventor Neil G. Goodbred, through its authorized representative Phyllis Morey, Vice President, Chief Litigation and Compliance Counsel.



Phyllis Morey

Vice President, Chief Litigation and Compliance Counsel



Date